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**PATENT APPLICATION**

In re: Application of

Nobuko OKADA et al.

Application No.: 09/977,339

Filed: October 16, 2001

For: INK JET RECORDING APPARATUS AND  
MANUFACTURING METHOD FOR  
FUNCTIONAL LIQUID APPLIED SUBSTRATE

Group Art Unit: 2853

Examiner: L. NGUYEN

Docket No.: 110891

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**LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:


In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.114, Applicants hereby request continued examination.

☒ Applicants further request entry and consideration of the attached submission.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper under 37 C.F.R. §1.114(d).

Attached hereto is our check no. 156326 in the amount of ☒ \$770.00 as payment of the fees set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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